



COUNTRY NOTES

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From the President

I am pleased and proud (relieved) to say that Karen G has volunteered to chair the 2011 quilt show. I know everyone will want to make her job easier by volunteering to fill the remaining positions. Contact her if you'll help. Remember to locate your first quilt and bring it for show and tell. Tell your family member you need to borrow it. They won't mind. (Or drag it out of your closet, we want to see it!) Come to the meeting and get some 'scrap therapy' with Donna McAdams, visit with your quilty friends, and enjoy refreshments. See you there....Paula

Meeting Tuesday November 9th at 1 o'clock

This month Donna McAdams of Sew Creative will be giving a program on scrap therapy, she will also be bringing books, patterns, fat quarters and notions from her store to sell. Sew come and learn a new way to put a quilt top together and do some shopping.

Donna

Next month's meeting: ,

Christmas Luncheon.

Tuesday, December 14 Carry-in, 12 noon.

Hostesses for November are Anita C, Paula S, and Betty L

November Birthdays



4	Dorothy R
7	Eveleth H
8	Ella B
18	Lois H
25	Paula S
26	Joyce K

Upcoming Workshop

We will have a Charity Work Day on Wednesday, November 10 beginning at 9 a.m. at the church. Marilyn and I will have fabric prepared for the Relay for Life Quilt and for the YMCA's quilt. Members should bring portable sewing machines, electric cords, the usual sewing supplies, mats, rulers, ironing boards, irons etc. If members have excess fabric they would like to donate to our charity stash they are certainly welcome to do so. We can always use it (especially off-white/neutrals, background fabrics).

Lunch will be pot luck. Hope to see many of you there. Norma Jeane and Marilyn

Quilt Show 2011

If you haven't already heard, I volunteered to be the chair person for QS 2011 – what was I thinking? The theme of the show will be “Stars in Our Lives” and will feature star quilts. The Board had to streamline the budget to keep the Guild on track financially so there will not be money for a lot of extra features this year, but I still believe we can put our creative minds and busy fingers together and put on a good show on a budget. Unfortunately, these are the times we live in and cost of rent, fabric, etc. is going up while people have less money to spend.

Valerie Studer has agreed to be co-chair, and chair in 2012. Everyone has been great, most of QS 2011 chair persons are filled. I still have a few open slots if you want to get involved.

Tourism Grant/Publicity	Amanda M
Guest Artist	Betty L, Kathryn J, & Ruth Ann T
Kitchen	Marty W and Christy W
Silent Auction	Micki U and Michael M
Fat Quarter Basket	Gayle S
Ribbons	Gayle H
Program Book	Linda C
Bazaar	Valerie S
Entries/Layout	Betty L & Kathy C
Vendors	Karen G
CheckIn/check out	Linda C & ?

I wish to thank the Board for graciously allowing me to change the raffle quilt to go along with the theme for the show. Although it isn't necessary to have a theme, I believe at least for me it will help and I very much wanted the raffle quilt to coordinate with the theme in order to keep me enthusiastic and motivated. This was a difficult decision especially since many of you have already made blocks and Paula had worked so hard to put together a beautiful quilt. I feel bad that I felt it necessary to request this change and didn't do so lightly. The new raffle quilt is well underway.

The QS 2011 Chair Persons are having their first meeting next week to do brainstorming and planning. I welcome suggestions from all the members. If you have ideas on what you like or dislike about how we do features of the show, please feel free to send them to me for consideration by this group when we are doing planning.

Thanks for all your support. Karen and Valerie

COUNTRY PATCHWORK QUILT GUILD
REGULAR MEETING
OCTOBER 12, 2010

The guild members and their guests met for their fall luncheon at noon on October 12, 2010 at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

President Paula S called the meeting to order. She welcomed everyone and their guests. She thanked the individuals from the church for a delicious meal.

Karen G moved to accept the minutes as printed. Elsie L seconded. Motion carried. Donna R moved to accept the treasurer. Seconded by Anita C. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

There are still chair positions needed to be taken for the quilt show.

We are still in need of a chair person for the 2011 quilt show.

We still need a web-site chair person.

At the board meeting we will be discussing the storage issue, changes in quilt show for next year. **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Raffle Quilt block: Please turn in your blocks

Newsletter: Hope everyone is receiving their copy.

Charity: N.J. F will present a quilt @ Habitat for Humanity.

Marlyn M wanted someone to work on the baby quilt. Katherine S volunteered.

Michael M was concerned about the Relay for Life quilt and the quilt for the YMCA's silent auction. This was given to the Charity co-chair to discuss and plan.

Library: Dorothy R said she would be ordering books.

Friendship Block: Karen G thanked everyone for their help. N.J. F passed out her blocks and Kathy C's name was drawn.

2010 Quilt Show: Donna R and N.J. F thanked all those for all their help on the quilt show. We had 550 guests in attendance. The best advertisement is word of mouth.

SHOW AND TELL:

Marilyn M showed a cross-stitch quilt. Elsie L thanked us for the raffle quilt. Our own member won this year. Katherine S showed a cat appliqué quilt. Kathryn J showed the ribbon she won from the Night Guild's quilt show. Valerie S showed a wall-hanging and a purse that she would be doing work shops on at the State Retreat.

President S asked everyone to bring the first quilt they made for show and tell.

It was announced that on November 19 and 20th, the guild in Higginsville will be having their quilt show at the American Legion Hall.

The program was turned over to Carol Box. She wore many hats and told about life in each era. A very enjoyable program.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary

Marty W

COUNTRY PATCHWORK QUILT GUILD
BOARD MEETING
OCTOBER 19, 2010

PRESENT: Christie W, Anita C, Betty L, Micki U, Donna R, Karen G, Paula S, N.J. F, Kathryn J, Donna M. and Marty W.

The Country Patchwork Quilt Guild board members met for their monthly meeting at the YMCA at 10:00 am President Paula S called the meeting to order. Donna R moved to accept the minutes as printed. Seconded by N.J. F. Motion carried. It was reported that we had approximately \$3,163 in the bank.

OLD BUSINESS:

A motion was made by Christie W to pay for our web-site for another year. Was seconded by Donna R. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Donna R to set up a booth to sell raffle ticket in March at the Craft and Music Show. Seconded by Kathryn J. Motion carried.

A thank you note was read from AQS for our monetary donation.

The rest of the time was spent on discussing the budget. We will have another meeting next Tuesday, October 26, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. to work on the quilt show and adjust the budget.

A quilt was donated to Habitat for Humanity.

We will have a work day on November 10, 2010 to work on charity quilts.

Meeting adjourned.

Submitted by acting secretary Kathryn J and Marty W

COUNTRY PATCHWORK QUILT GUILD
2ND BOARD MEETING
OCTOBER 26, 2010

PRESENT: Paula S, Micki U, Michael M, Gayle S, Donna M, Kathryn J, Anita C, Christie W, Karen G, Marty W, Betty L, and N.J. F.

Paula S called the meeting to order. The purpose of this meeting was to work on the quilt show budget and to adjust the regular budget.

(See emailed newsletter for budget information/treasurer's report)

Any money spent over the budgeted amount must be approved by the board and or the president. The 2011 Quilt Show will be October 15th and 16th.

We need a quilt for the YMCA YMCA's auction for June.

We discussed the cost of admission, but turned this over the quilt committee to make a proposal. Do away with the \$1.00 discount on the admission ticket.

The theme for next year is "Stars in Our Lives"

Marty W made a motion to allow the Chairwoman of the 2011 to design her own quilt to reflect the theme of the show.

There was discussion on how we are going to use the red/white/black quilt that Anita C and Paula S worked very hard on. A decision will be made later. It will be hand quilted.

Karen G called a quilt show meeting for November 3, 2010, and it will be at Swinger's Building, 1405 W College. Right across from the new Pizza Hut.

N.J. F thanked Donna M for all the work she has done as treasurer. And to Anita C and Paula S for the construction of the red/black/and white quilt.

Meeting adjourned

Respectfully submitted by Secretary

Marty W

Friendship Block Winner

Kathy C

I feel so fortunate to have been drawn for another friendship block. I just don't get quilts made, so these and the president's quilts are the only ones I have. I knew I didn't have time to make quilts when I joined the guild, but I knew I would meet wonderful friends and have fun. The quilts are a bonus.

I grew up in San Diego. Most my family is there, hence all the trips there. I also have a daughter in Illinios, with 3 daughters, and 2 granddaughters. My son lives here, he has 3 kids, a daughter and 2 granddaughters in St Louis, a son at MU, and a son in Cody Wy. My other daughter is in San Diego, and the 2 daughters of a son I lost are there. I also lost my husband to cancer 5 years ago. With the help of my son I still have the farm and cows. As well as horses, dogs, cats, chickens and 2 birds.

I just got home from a great road trip. I drove to Denver and picked up my daughter from San Diego. We drove to Ft Collins and spent the night. Then on to Cheyenne to do some shopping, and on the Cody WY to visit a grandson. Went out to a beer tasting, great dinner, and to the Silver Dollar Saloon. Spent the next day at the wonderful museum there. Monday on to Yellowstone, a magical place. Saw Old Faithful, a grizzly bear, wolves, buffalo, elk and a moose. Tuesday headed to Moscow, Idaho, to visit a good friend. Was in the middle of nowhere, and broke down. Not getting gas, fuel pump? Had to get hauled to Butte MT, over an hour away. Luckily there was a GM dealer. Got new fuel pump. Luckily a local had ordered one for her Yukon, or they wouldn't have had one. Changed water pump while there were at it. Didn't get out of there till 4:30, but very glad to be back on the road.

Missed most of a beautiful drive after dark, but did have a full moon reflecting in the Locksa, Salmon, Clearwater, and Snake Rivers. Late, but made it to Moscow, Idaho. After a tour of the town and seeing our old house and college, headed south. Made it to Nevada. After a good night sleep, on to California to visit another friend. Then to San Luis Obispo to visit granddaughter. She just stared college there. Spent a day with her. Had to replace dead battery. I also picked up 2 chairs for Donna B from daughters house. On to San Diego. Daughter was glad to be home. I rested up 2 days and headed home.

14 days, 12 states, 5,200 miles. I hope I didn't boor you, but it was a great trip. I need to make a quilt

Calendar

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| Nov. 4-7, 2010 | International Quilt Festival , Houston, TX
www.quilts.com |
| Nov 6-7, 2010 | Columbia Quilt Show , Stoney Creek Inn |
| Nov 19 & 20 | Higginsville Quilt Show , American Legion Hall |

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